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Greetings! This is the July 2010 Monthly Art by Susan Van Camp and Dragon Storm RPG Newsletter. There is a lot going on this month, so we had better get to it:

Convention News:

StormCon 3. July 23rd to 25th, 2010. Westlake Ohio

Sue and I have our room booked at the Holiday Inn. We are coming in on Thursday to be ready for the full weekend of Dragon Storm. I talked to Russ and signed myself up to run three games. It should be Friday 7:30pm to 11:30pm, Saturday 2:00pm to 6pm and Sunday 9:00am to 1:00pm. 400 card points and above. I am calling it "That is just Plain Wrong". We will be running a Dragon Storm Special at the Con. "The Storm Booster Sale. You must be there to believe it! \$12.00 Booster Displays!"

We need GM's who want to run games at StormCon to get in touch with Russ at

dsguild@gmail.com and make arrangements. It is always nice to have a basic idea of what is going on ahead of time! [The Website is Here!](#)

GenCon August 5th to 8th, 2010. Indianapolis, IN.

We will be set up in the Art Show selling Susan's art and commissions there. Watch Susan's blog for exactly where we will be in the room.

The Dragon Storm RPG will be available through the Wizard Wagon at the show.

Durand Fantasy Expo. September 4th, 2010. Durand Michigan.

This is a one day local show. They did a show there last year and did well. We will have all of Susan's Art and samples of Dragon Storm.

Con on the Cob. October 14th through the 17th. Hudson, Ohio.

This is a Game/Science Fiction/Anime con. It will be our first journey to the con. We will have Guild games at the show. I think I will be running games Thursday night, Friday afternoon and Saturday afternoon. I should have specifics next month.



Art News:

Susan has been busy taking and finishing commissions along with a pile of new DS art. She did 36 new pieces for the Elemental set we released at Origins. I have started feeding the new artwork onto Susan's Etsy art shop. In fact there have been five new prints available there in the past week. Some of the most fun art for Sue is the DS character commissions. At StormCon she will take commissions, but she will not be completing them at the show. She intends to spend all of extra time gaming. [Susan's Art Blog!](#)

Lost Clans Discoveries.

We know that there were an awful lot of clans before the last Draconic Age. There were only six active clans by the time the Ravenwing had risen to the top. During the Whitewing Era there appear to have been a couple dozen clans. Earlier there had been even more clans. Clan bloodlines from ancient times sometimes surface. A few of these bloodlines come from completely unknown clans.

The Zaandraacks Clan is one of the stranger clans. The name only appears a couple of

times that have been recorded and it is thought the Clan disappeared in the wild Barbarian Era before the Whitewing Era. We know nothing of it, but so far only Orcs have been discovered with this bloodline. This discovery has spurred speculation that somehow the Orcs of the Barbarian Age had formed into Draconic like Clans and functioned as Clans in the ancient world. Most scribes and scholars find the idea unimaginable, but they have no better explanations.

Gamemaster's Challenge

The idea behind the Gamemaster's Challenge column is that we provide a simple short game hook. The GM's reading this will try to run something off of the hook. After the game is played out the GM (or one of the players in the game) then write a short synopsis of what happened in the game. We can then run some of the responses.

Our first short story hook is: Maybe those hard working adventurers need a bit of downtime. Send them on a vacation!



Dragon Storm News:

We are getting a lot of the Deluxe cards reformatted for the Standard card sets. It is taking some time to get everything straightened out, but it is going well. We will have sets 28, 29 and 30 new at StormCon. They are Tattoos, rings and vales as sets. Items you can use! I can not say for sure what comes next month, but I am looking at a Griffon set and maybe a pair of Bloodkin sets.

[Pre-order prices are available on the webpage.](#)

There is a growing number of Card Galleries Growing [at the website.](#)

Guild News:

We have reformed the Guild. The Guild will be lead by a Hyarch (Mark Ellis Harmon), a Spirit Advisor (Susan Van Camp) and a set of High Councilors (Russ Linden, Tim Kennard, Ann Grey, Mark Rosenberger and Lee Grey). We have plans...

We need everyone to reapply for the Guild either online at the website

<http://guild.gameswemake.com> or at a convention. You really want a new Guild card, they

have a once per game contest bonus on them. Ann is keeping the Clan Roster up to date. It is online now. You need to use the Clan Reports Form to let her know what your characters status is.

Quick answers: Membership is free, Wardens are grandfathered in, guild cards, including the traits work just fine, no major Guidelines changes.

Web News:

We have three blogs for you to keep an eye on. The new Guild Site is up and running. We also have two sell sites for your convenience.

[The New Guild Site, nearly Daily Updates for the moment ...](#) [Susan's Etsy Art Market ...](#) [The Dragon Storm RPG Market](#)

This Newsletter:

You have the monthly Art by Susan Van Camp and Dragon Storm RPG newsletter right here in front of you. Spread the word, tell your friends.

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